

A partial suppression of the
menses, ~~which~~ is sometimes the cause
of Plethora give first an emetic
effluvia
And then a laxative then to
strengthen by bark, if not bitters
if gentian &c. gradually some
gentle laxative, to be continued
some months and occasionally
change the Medicine And every
2 or 3 weeks an emetic pur-
ge very necessary. Matrimony
face flushed pain loins and back
the first to be done is bleeding
as near the time she ought to
menstruate, Warm bath & em-
erogagen applied to back, Seneca
ea 3 or 4 oz of in decoction in
a day, black hellebore, Menor-
rhagia, occur in two cases and
two causes, One too much eating
animal, and no exercise, take
place in a relaxed system
treatment plethora leped and the
exercise a little effluvia and then
some astringent, decoction of Coffee
1℥℥ tillering 12 dra. water

Dis mortha Sometime spirit
relieve sometime ~~amplon~~
the best is warm bath or pedic
rion. Cure sometime of its own
accord be when the menses is
about to depart bleed occasionally
give exercise, little animal food
Disease of organ of generation if
the Calicula are sometimes elongated
beyond the pubis

of the Nympha which have been as
long as a child's head if it should
be too large it will be necessary to
prune it then - Sometime it is
closed at birth, if inconvenient at
menstruation, it is best ^{to} open by the
finger or probe - of Celi cation

Of Inflammation of cold or difficult
labour, intense redness and pain &c
copious - Disperse by usual means with
leeches in one spot - poultices
Laxative Medicine and vegetable
food and with a state of leave
rest particularly attended to &c
It may rarely happens that the peri-
toneum is lacerated but some

times just touched or head pass
as though to speedily —

If the a probe pass in a straight line
into the bladder, ^{a female} but if there be much
interruption it may be considered
to be a Male
Of the Clitoris

If the Hymen requires to be operated
upon, it ought to be cut several times,
and lint so placed between the
concise parts to prevent a union
~~from taking place~~ Plunk
of water or —

Of the Vagina, Diseases such as, &c.
no danger in carrying the Vagina
contracted in the course of pregnancy,
as it may have been mentioned when
the uterus was increasing its bulk
or becoming enlarged.

Vagina subject to inflammation and
generally a source of much difficulty
how

Uterus And Vagina are both Subject
to Leucorrhoea or ~~Fl~~ Flour Albus is
the most frequent disease of which
the female is Subject those who have
had frequent Miscarriage are most
Subject to it with irregular Men-
struation, and in children it probably
rises from the Uterus, the most common
place of its rise is the internal Mem-
brane of the Vagina - it ~~is~~ is sometimes
difficult to distinguish it from Gonor-
rhea but this is known by no pain at
passing - Treatment

Tonics & Stimulating - with Be-
rry ~~Col~~ as weak injection
of 1 dr Camph in a pint of White Oak
bark - Emetics once or twice a week
have been recommended, and after
while a laxative may be used.

Rice ^{Starch} & 2 gr Aloe & 3 gr Opium
1/2 gr this taken until the disease
is cured - Cintharides in fine pow-
der have been given in the form
of a Liniment - Lincl Cay 2 dr
with 6 oz water a table Spoonful

2 a day and quitted well in
48 hours in the 24 hours &c
It sometimes goes so as to have the
appearance of a large uterine
protrusion, every thing that relaxes
the Bony Muscles as carrying
burden &c are said to induce
the complaint, those subject to
prolapsus uteri as subject to this
Disease - in prolapsus uteri we
ought to endeavour to reduce it and
attend to the general system &c
When it happens early in pregnancy the
is generally no danger

Inversion of the uterus from too great
force in bringing down the pla-
centa or the weight of a Polypus - the uterus sometimes inverted
entirely after labour.

The uterus is subject to scirrhus and
cancer and chloasms and often con-
founded with Leucorrhoea upon
account of the discharge - barks
given gentle laxative preparations
of Iron found to be very good
1/2 dr. of tannic acid to quass water for a
relief

Draping of the Uterus very seldom happens

In Hernia we are to endeavour to return the parts &c

The Corroding Ulcers of the Uterus occurs about the time the Menstrual Course and great difference between the Ulcers of the Cancer Conception &c

Structure of the Ovary which exist in being very similar as well as in the human Kidney and is a structure of which the young are formed and comes from Ovarium

The Placenta is a triangular gland to which the vessels run every fetus has its own Placenta and is about an inch in thickness about a span in length. Prior we force to bring a fetus the Placenta until the second pains come on - it is considered to be the medium of Communication between the fetus and the Mother. The Naval string is of an artery and 2 veins &c. About the 6 weeks it is about an inch long

The Cause of the first breathing is the Air crossing the face and by the Sympathy to the Diaphragm and the falx is excited to action &c

Nutrition of the Fetus which is from
the Mother and part from the Umbili-
cal Chord, the Placenta receives from
the Uterus which it communicates
to the Fetus, no immediate or direct
communication between the Mother and child
The Uterus is not the only place that the
Fetus can be formed, as fallopian
tube &c. And when it is formed
in those situations it is Cal-
led extra Uterine Pregnancy -

These Cases are often very
trouble some - And demand
Care Much Care and attention
from the physician as well as
from the female and her
attendants - When portions
of the ^{Placenta} ~~Uterus~~ have been left in
the Uterus it generally produ-
ces a small and continual
hemorrhage this may be on

Is relieved by the applica-
tion of cold to the abdomen
and by the introduction of
the hand into the cavity
of the Uterus and there to re-
main untill contractions of
the fibres of the Uterus are over.
Signs of Pregnancy long after an
aborted kind of food, as bread &c
The Obstruction of the Menstrs
Some women have some peculiar
such as decayed teeth - coughing or
flushing of the face
When the passing of the Intestines
ceases much pain the best is to
draw away a little blood and
giving an Anodyne or Laudanum
remedy in Flax Seed Tea &c
Purging about the fifteenth
week and at this time sometimes a
few drops of blood comes from
the Uterus which is the time the
foetus ascends from the perineum
the cavity of the Abdomen
Sometimes heartburn & give

A mild Emetic the Rhubarb &
and Magnesia Combined sometimes
Mild laxative will prevent the
above as the Sulphate Magnesia
is as follows Case No 13

Sp. Cinnamon 14 13
et Aqua infusa Ammonia 13
Aqua pura 3v

Constipation very common about the
3 Month and at the latter part of
labours this must be prevented by
the ~~the~~ laxative taken Occasion-
ally

The piles a troublesome attendance
on pregnancy. Some recommend
warm applications others Cold

But no violence is to be used
by means of pulling at the
Chord or endeavouring to
dislodge the retained portion
of the Placenta as that would
inevitably lead to a worse
difficultly namely a sepsis

side hemorrhage —

After pains, seldom occur
so severe as at the first la-
bours as it does at the subse-
quent ones, — they are ow-
ing to the irregular contrac-
tion of the ~~uterine~~ fibres of the
uterus. Consequently when
they ~~do~~ occur hemorrhage
is not so much to be feared.

Hemorrhage is owing to the
want of a contractile pow-
er in the fibres of the uterus,
~~and~~ or ~~retention~~ ^{or} to a
contraction ^{or} laceration
of the placenta —

Duty of the Physician in a case of Obstetrics

So many circumstances usually occur, varying in many respects, that it is almost impossible to define the duty of a physician when called to ^{office} ~~charge~~ the ~~duty~~ of ~~Obstetrics~~ ^{accouchement}. We may, however lay down some general rules which if attended to, will be found of service to the young practitioner —

When a lady shall have signified her intention of having you as her attendant

It would be right to call
upon, or ~~see~~ to see her oc-
casionally, and prescribe,
~~to take any~~ when necessa-
ry, ~~to relieve any urgent symp-~~
~~toms~~ with a view to relieve
any urgent symptoms.

An idea is very common a-
mong females, that during
parturition they should be
frequently bled, they may
in this respect, be generally
indulged, when no circum-
stances shall contra indi-
cate it, ~~and~~ but should
always be ordered when
ever it shall be deman-
ded by any circumstance

Constiveness - likewise, a very
common occurrence in preg-
nancy, should be obviated,
particularly if it happens
during the ~~the~~ eight or ninth
months - this to be done by
some mild laxatives as
Magnesia - Rhubarb Super-
Tart: of Potash &c -

Nausea - and Morning Sick-
ness to be relieved by Magnesia
laxatives of a mild
nature, light diet and
proper exercise in the open
air - The Morning Sick-
ness often benefited by tak-
ing a cup of warm Coffee
in bed; Females generally
in this case crave for what
is ^{be} well of service to them.

Such as Antacid, as
Chalk, Magnesia &c -
Sufficient, do not often prove
very troublesome And if
they do - they may be eased
by taking some of the vegeta-
ble acids as lemon juice -

Tooth-Ache is frequently very
troublesome to the patient, and
female, And when it is
worse, there is seldom any
advantage & alleviation
by application - when the
extraction of the affected
tooth does not always prove
a cure, for this pain or some
other one or more of the teeth
will often thus give as
much uneasiness.

as the one extracted had
died - And the poor female,
is doomed to bear the pain
and anguish, of that, above
all, divided torment and
vexatious complaint, until
relieved by delivery -

The period of quickening is
often proved ~~by~~ a time, call-
ing at least, great anx-
iety and uneasiness to the
female with child for the
first time, - bringing
on some pain and nau-
-sea -

It however is only the re-
sult of nature and ~~is~~ very
little can ever be effected
by the physician, unless

it be to assure her that
it is only what is always
to be expected of persons
in her situation, which
~~from~~^{to} an intelligent person
will always prove a heal-
ing balm to the trouble
mind -

It will be proper here to
mention, that this should
always be full evidence
to assure the female, that
she is in the family way, -
should there be any doubt
entertained in regard to
this matter, persons how-
ever have been known to
accuse themselves as their
friends and even their

physician in regard to this matter supposing it to have taken place, when in fact it was nothing more than wind,

The most prominent symptoms of this really being the period of quickening are such as -

Its occurring at or about the 16th week of the supposed pregnancy -

- The enlargement of the abdomen rising higher towards the thorax.

The ~~eye~~ eye-lids surround ~~ed~~ with a dark circle and more especially the inner ones.

The Countenance becoming ~~sharp~~ numerous and of a pallover hue -

- The features ~~sharp~~ of the face sharp and prominent -

- The Pain, also ~~shows~~ in the left shoulder blade is often common to person in this state.

- An interruption of the Catamenial Discharge without ~~any~~ preceding any of the usual consequences of such an occurrence - This not to be depended on

unless in conjunction with
other symptoms. — as before
mentioned —

An enlargement of the mam-
mae — with tender-
ness of the nipple and its
being surrounded by
an areola of a dark
~~circle~~ color —

— frequently ^{there is} ~~an~~ intolera-
ble itching of the pectoral
and the neighbouring
parts — without any known
cause —

Pains in the legs and par-
ticularly in the thighs

attended with swelling
of the feet and Ankles, -

- A longing after diet not
formerly liked - And a
peculiar desire for earthy
Substances as clay - chalk

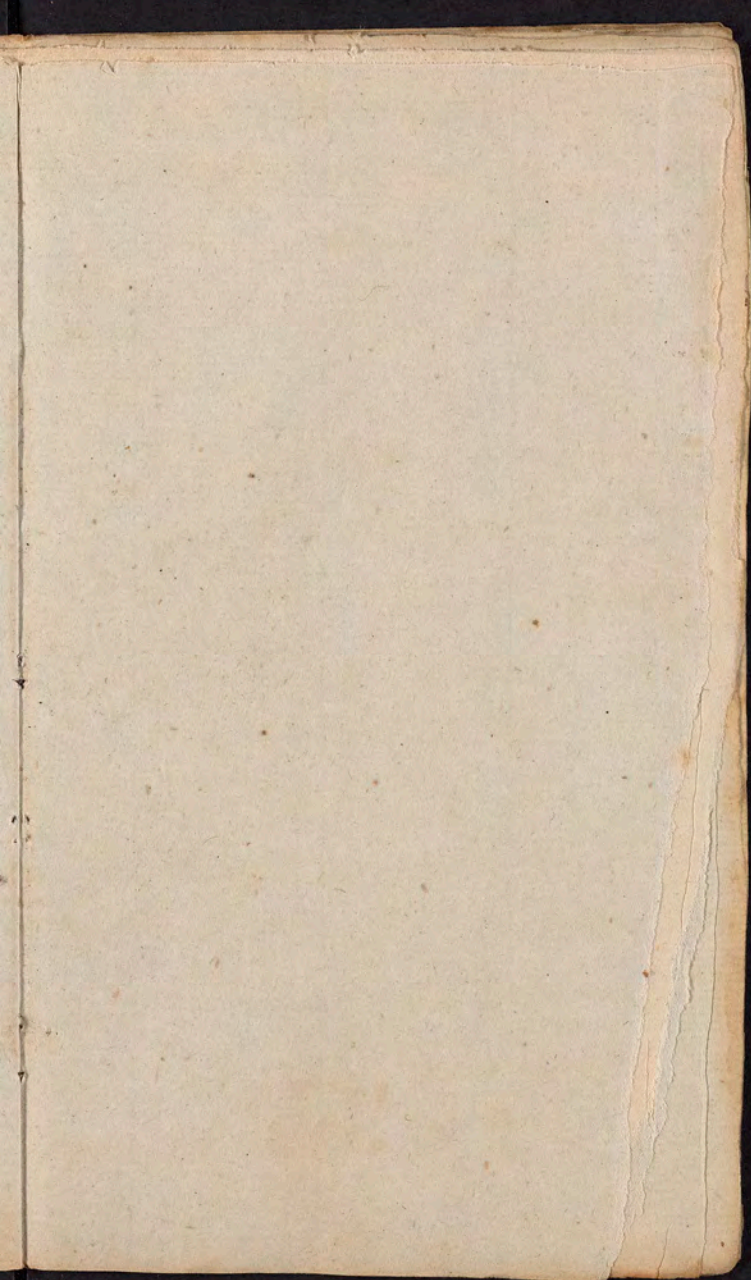
&c - - All symptoms
of this disease (if so called)
And if occurring at the same
time may generally be re-
lied on as sufficient
to warrant a prognosti-
cation

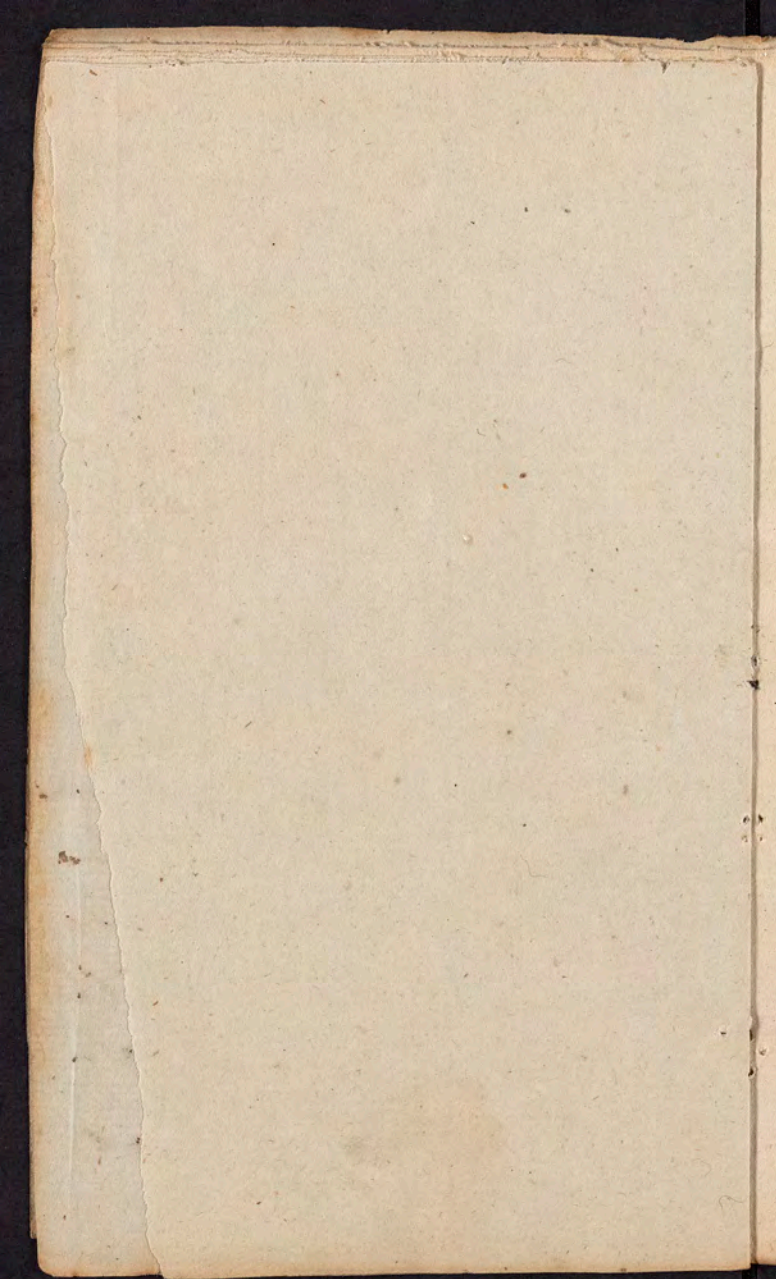
They do not however all
occur in the same female,
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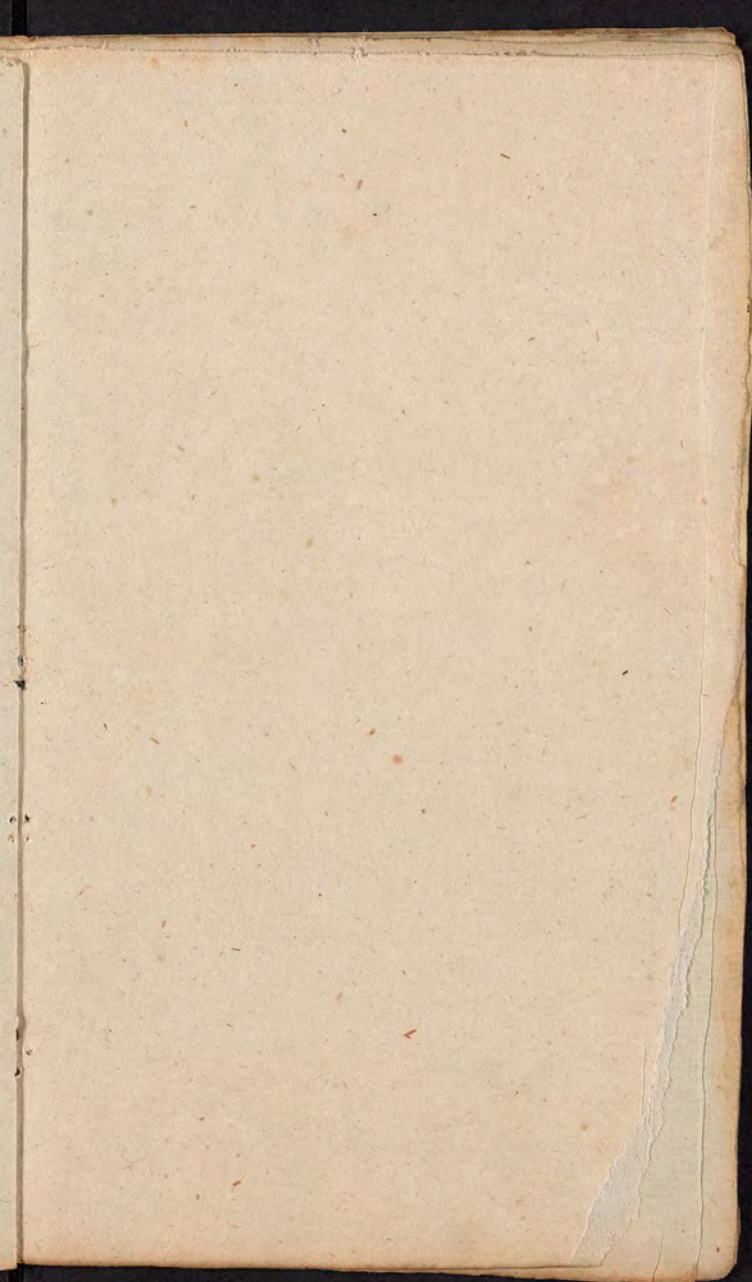
without a proportionate
number of them, it will
be sound and judicious
to give an ~~and~~ decisive opini-
on.

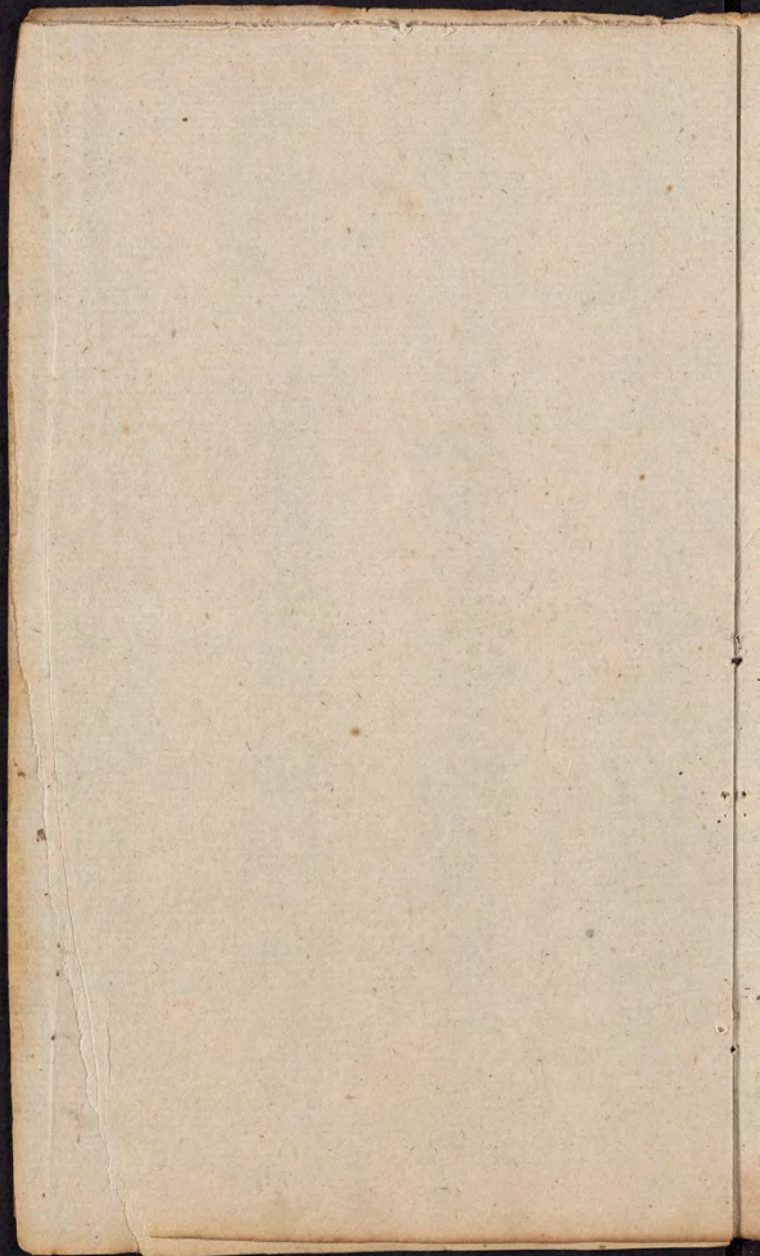
As the ~~opinion~~ decision
of the physician in these
cases always are of im-
portance - either rais-
ing him high in general
estimate and command-
ing confidence in him
or condemning him as
one unacquainted with
his profession, and conse-
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or else respected

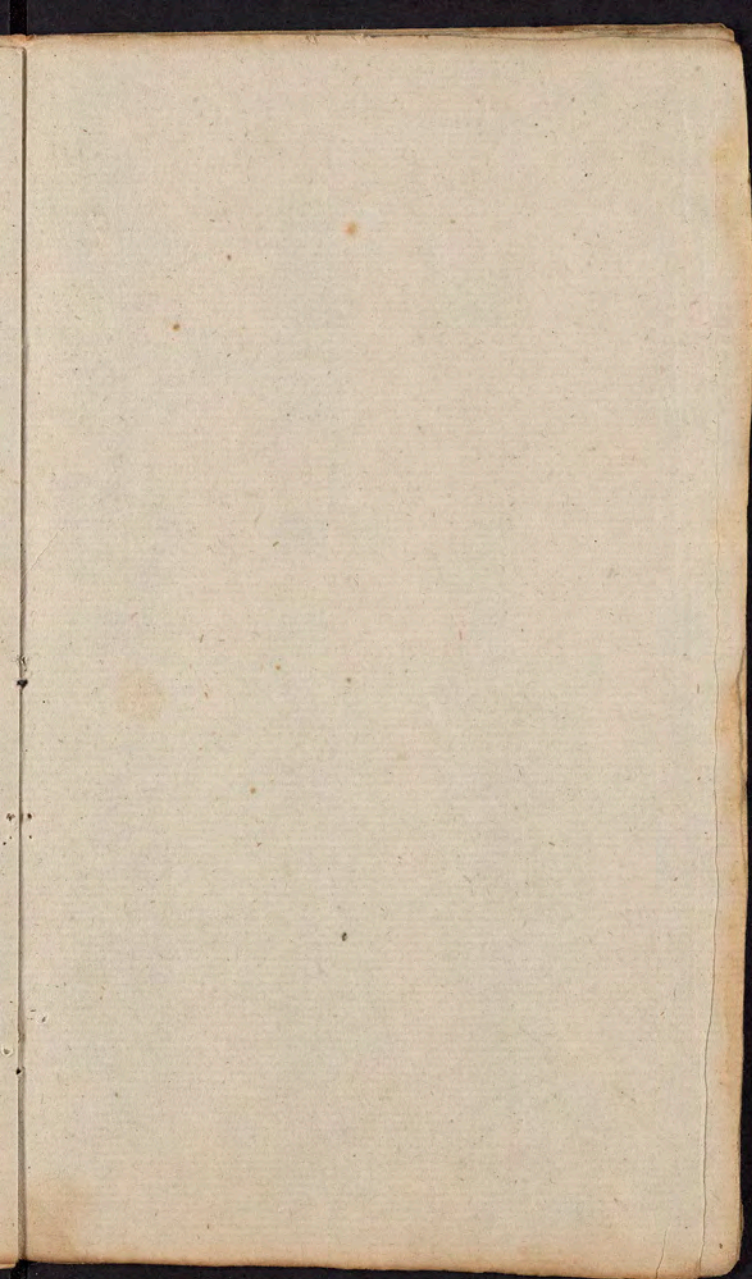
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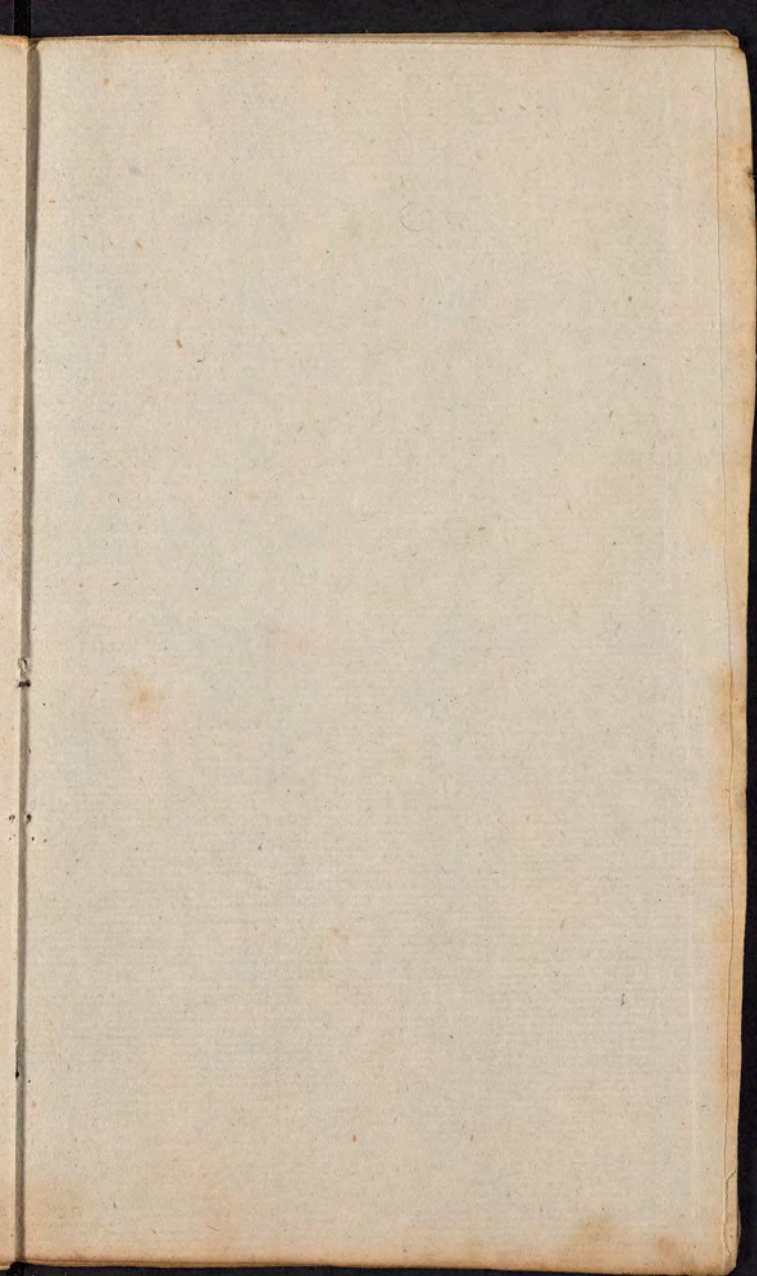


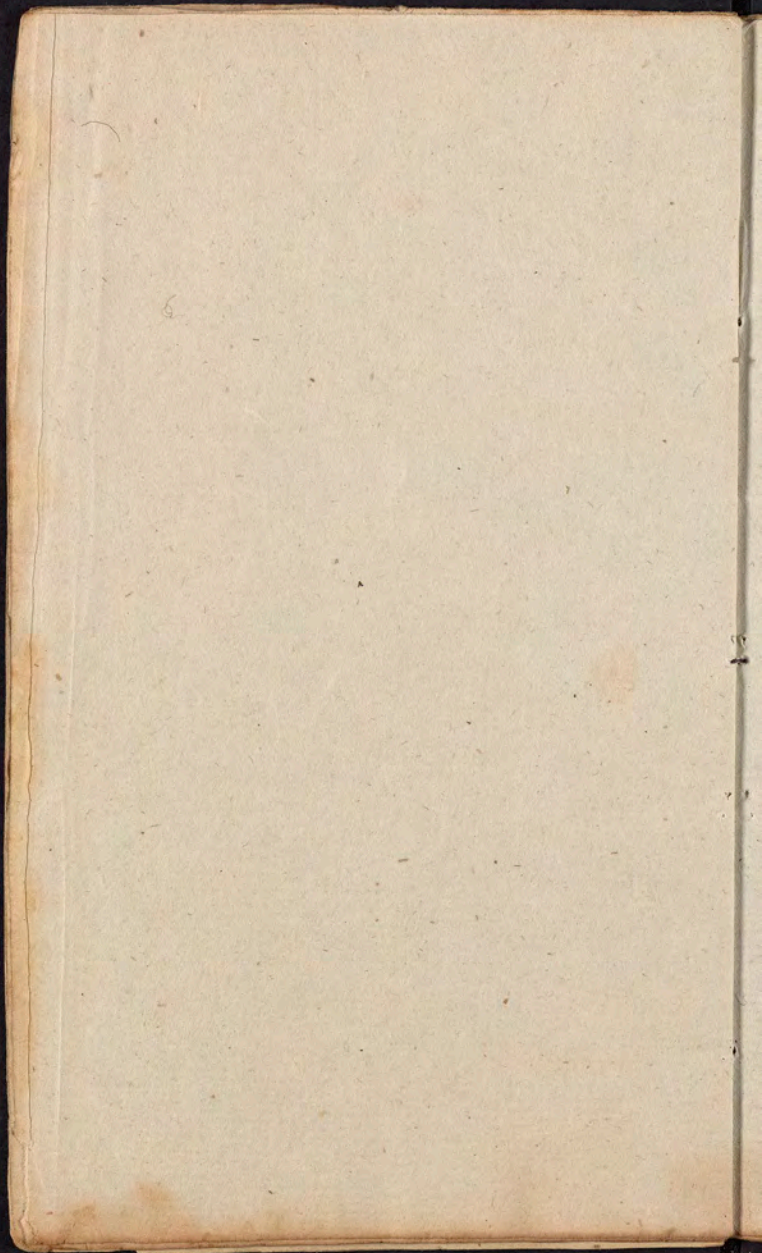


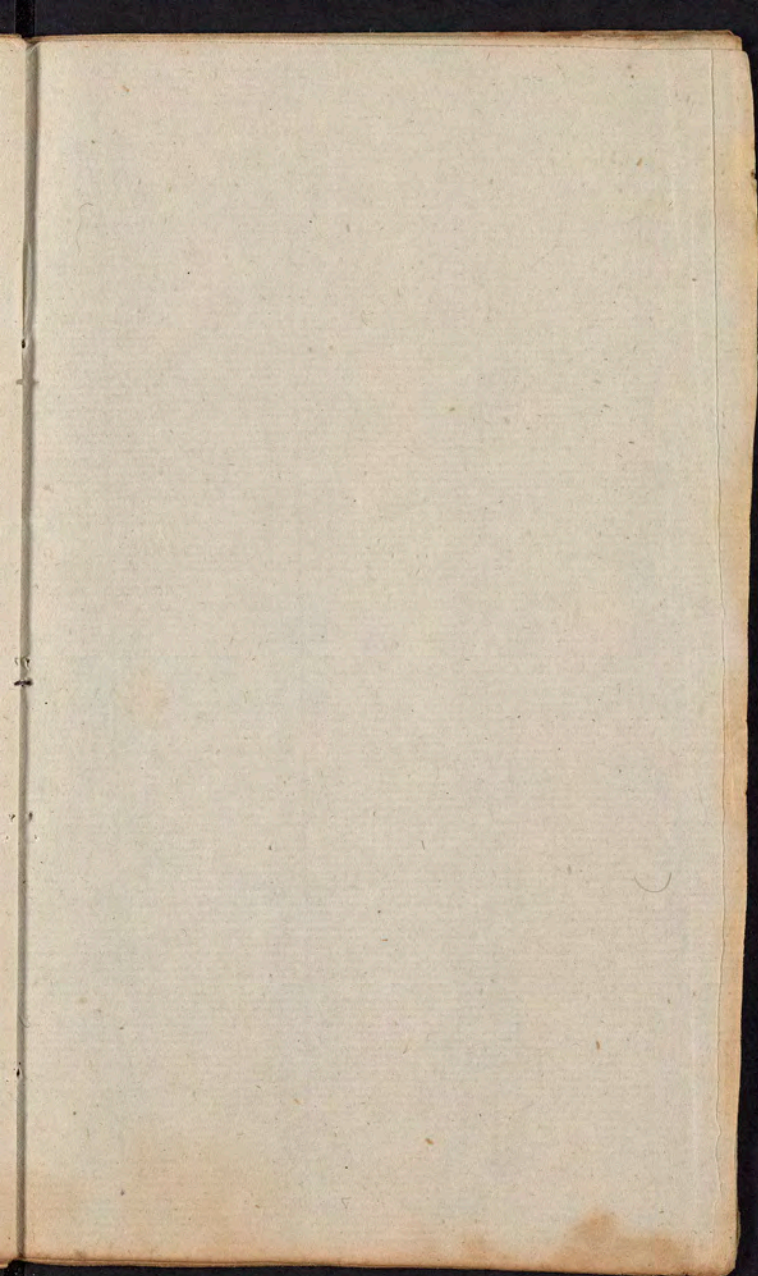


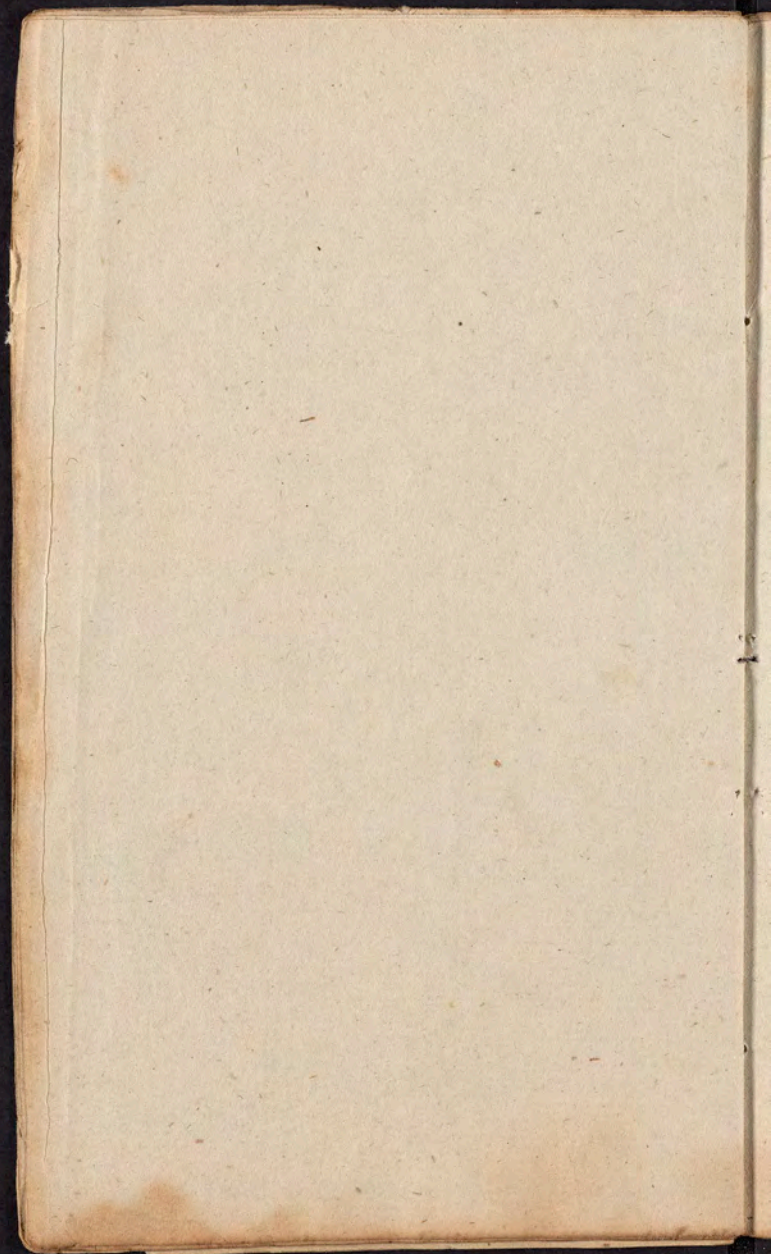


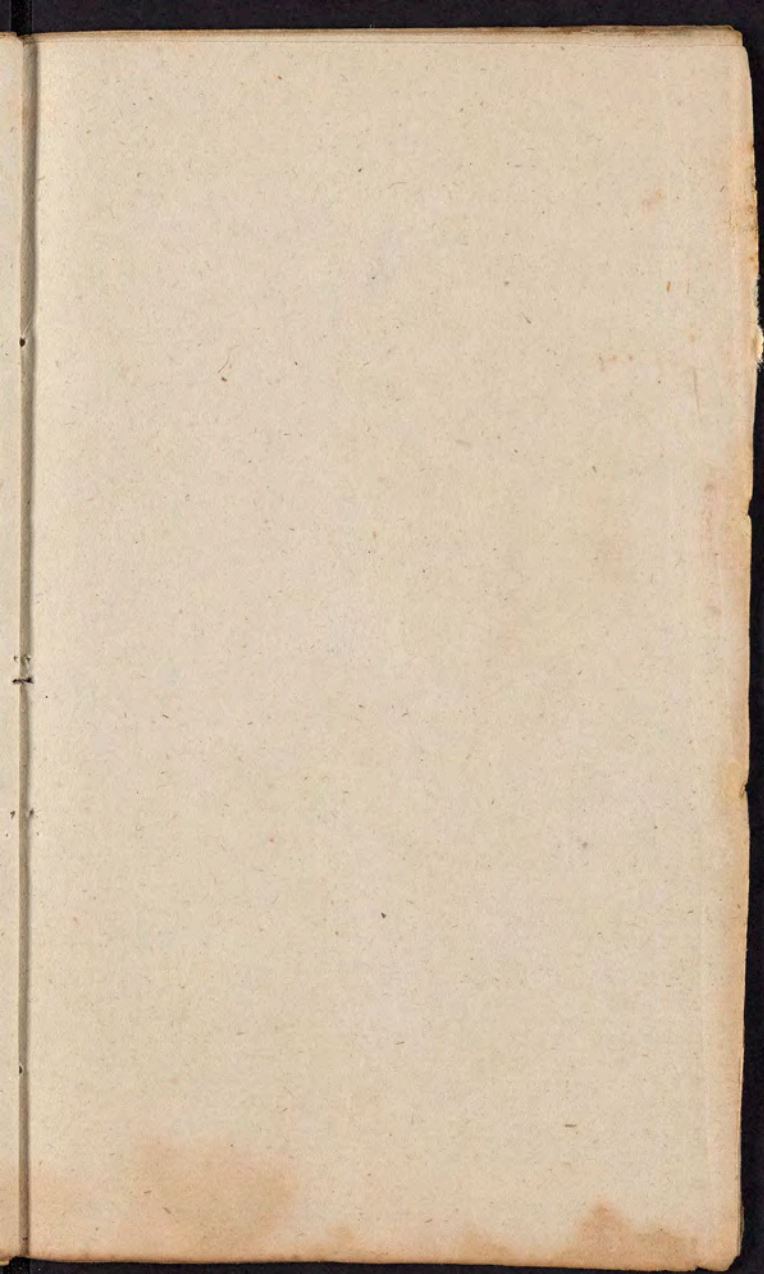


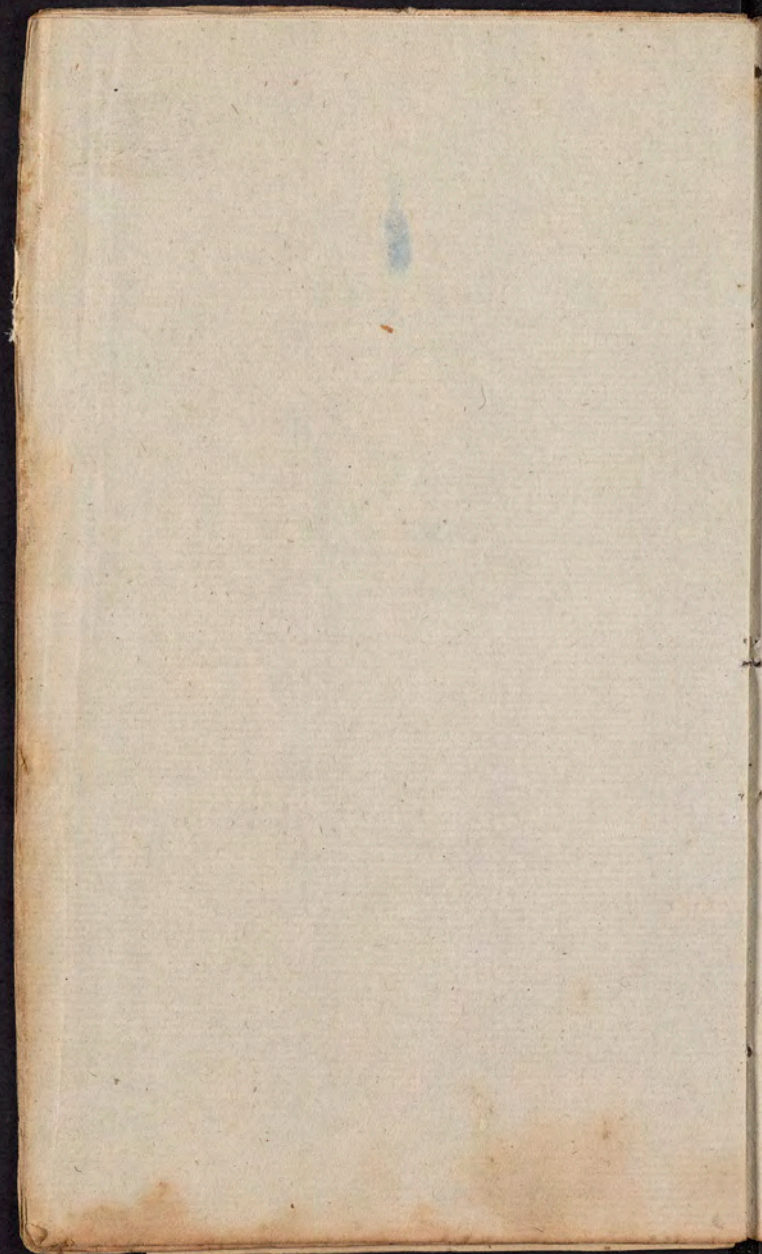


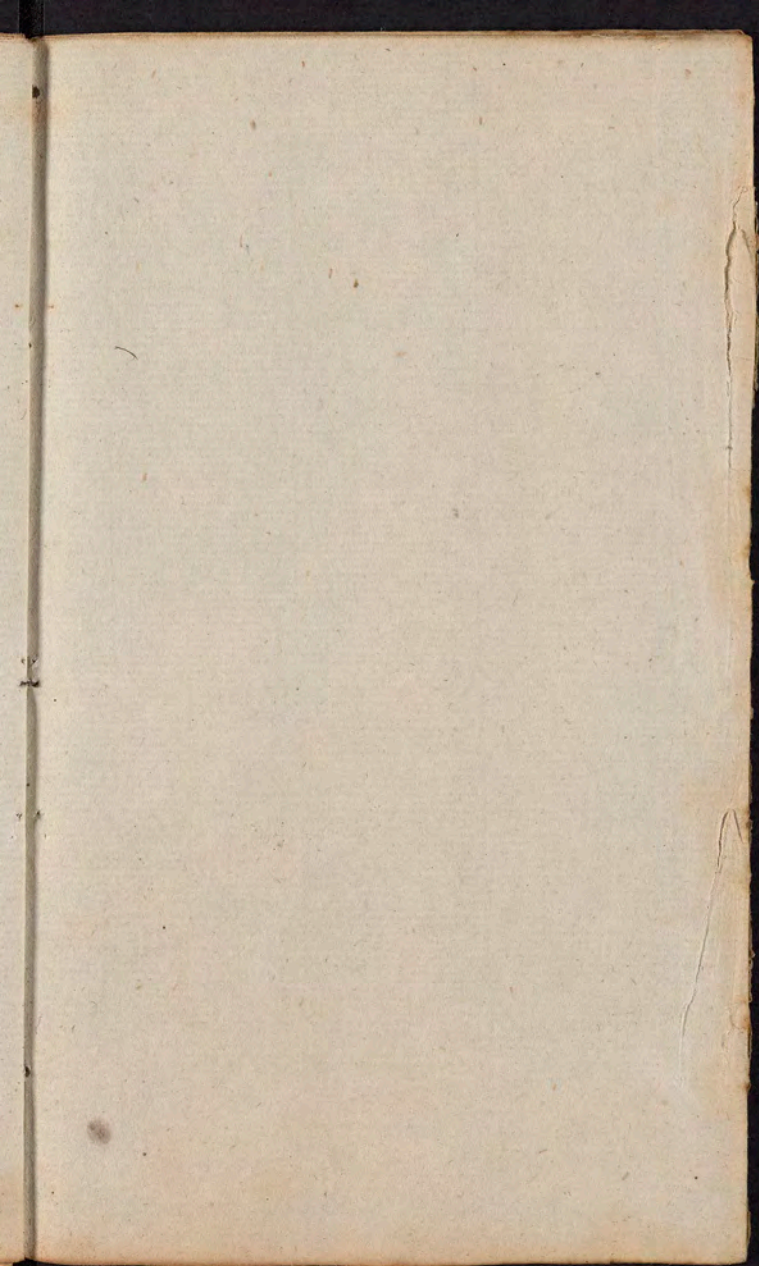


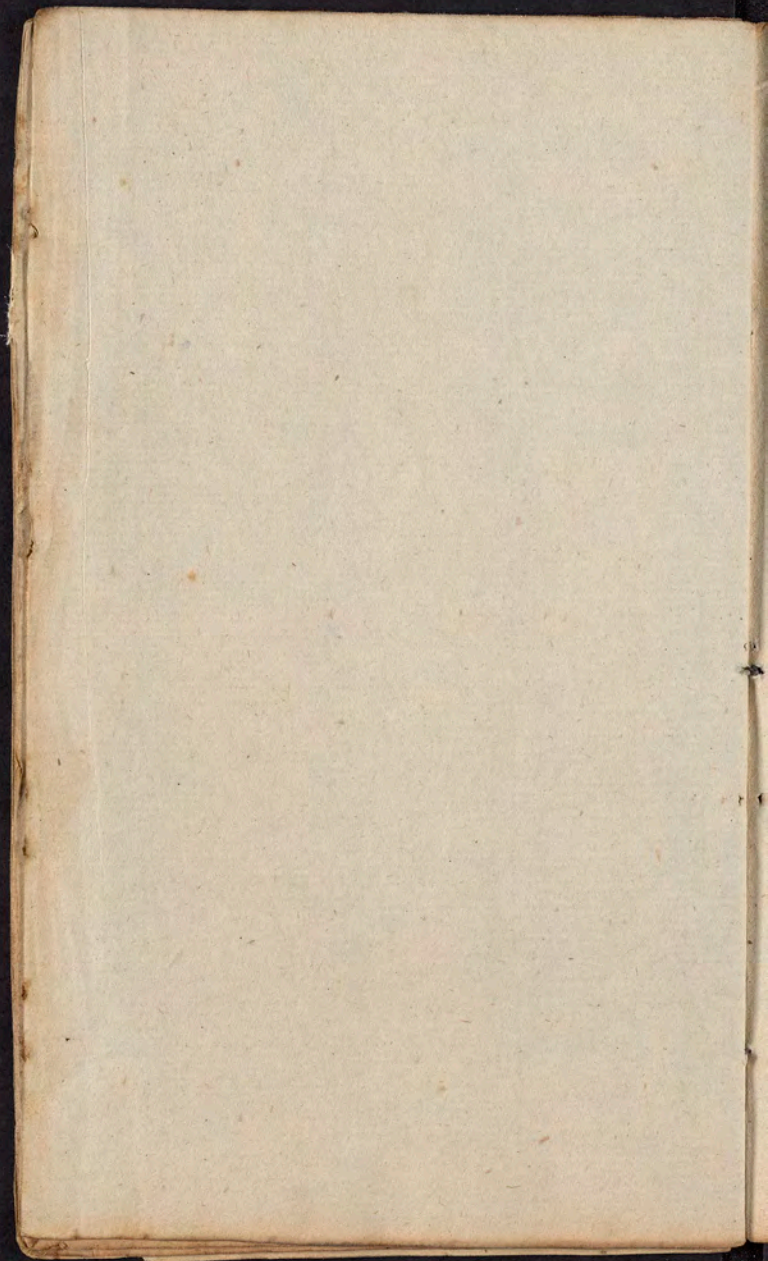


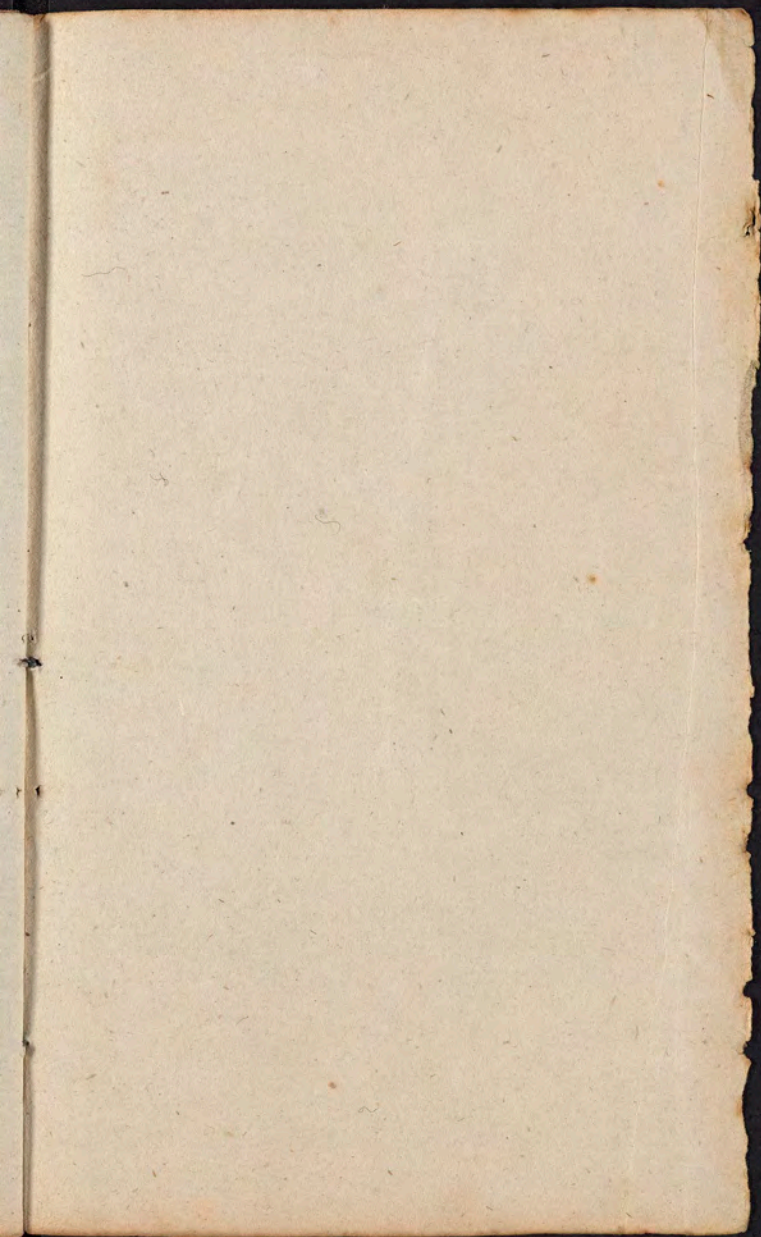












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